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better service was given. In 1887, prior to the payment of subsidies, the total cost of our foreign mails was \$480,108, while the present bill appropriated \$1,950,000 for the same service. Senator Vilas said the International, or American line, received \$220,000 last year for carrying 350 tons of American mail while the Cunard, or British line, received \$144,750 last year for carrying 658 tons of American mail. The British line carried twice the amount at two thirds the cost.

Senator Hawley of Connecticut interposed to state that four of the ships of the American line were equipped for armament and were subject to call by the United States.

Senator Vilas said these ships were not available for war except for transportation purposes.

Senator Hawley insisted that the British government had refitted her merchant marine as auxiliary cruisers and regarded them as a material branch of her navy, not only for transportation, but for fighting purposes.

"I cited it," responded Senator Hawley, "because the gentleman is a free trader and Great Britain is his idol."

Senator Vilas said he was ready to take the intelligent instruction offered by any country or man. He went on to show the heavy and growing cost of ocean mail service.

Senator Vilas cited many cases of alleged excessive subsidies. The mail from New York to Havana last year at regular rates would have cost about \$3000, but in fact cost over \$200,000. The Red D line received \$79,030 last year for mail to Venezuela, which at regular rates would have cost \$14,783. "This," he said, "illustrates the beauty of subsidies."

This great cost was accompanied by no benefits except that, two of the American ships were to be serviceable to the United States navy. Of course said the Senator, these would not be able to fight against an armored ship. Senator Vilas turned his attention to the proposed addition of \$80,000 in the compensation of the Oceanic steamship line for service to the United States.

lines for services from San Francisco to Hawaii and other South Pacific points, and declared that the business would be cut off if the addition was not made. In the course of a colloquy Senator Perkins said we were paying less in subsidies than New Zealand.

"As an American citizen," declared Senator Perkins, "I favor the fostering of American shipping as against En-

glish shipping. England, France and Russia paid last year \$16,000,000 postal subsidies, but my friend from Wisconsin would not give a dollar American shipping except from the regular postage rates."

In the course of the discussion Senator Vilas stated the steamship companies had succeeded in carrying to point that statute miles should be measured on the sea, instead of nautical miles, thus increasing their compensation one-sixth.

The subsidy went over for separate

HOUSE.—Some minor business was transacted at the opening of the session of the House today. The House then resumed consideration of the Sunday Civil Appropriation Bill. An amendment allowing extra compensation for surveys through mountainous or heavily-wooded territory in Colorado and Utah, was adopted.

Mr. Hyde of Washington offered

amendment to appropriate \$75,000 or \$300,000 carried by the bill for the construction of military posts to commence the erection of permanent buildings at the military post at Spokane, Wash. The site of the post, comprising over one thousand acres, Mr. Hays said, had been donated to the government by the city of Spokane.

Mr. Cannon, chairman of the Appropriations Committee, opposed the amendment on the ground that

Mr. Grosvenor of Ohio in reply to Cannon expressed his regret that chairman of the Appropriations Committee felt it incumbent on himself to make such an announcement.

Economy was one thing, the parsimony another, but worse than either was the existence of public necessity for the expenditure of money and the acknowledgment that Con-

He referred to the great demand for commerce which must be met by the declaration of Congress of its ability to meet them, he pointed out that the receipts under the present tariff law for the first nine months were \$481,000,000, over \$75,000,000 more than the expenditures, and contrasted the receipts under that law with the receipts under the law of 1890 when the

months. The condition of the country brought about by the domination of a party that condemned legislation for the protection of American industry and undertook to legislate for the only, compelled economy. Prosperity, the treasury and the people would come as long as the present tariff remained on the statute books.

"If the income tax had not been declared unconstitutional," inter-

Mr. Taibert of South Carolina, "it would have been no deficit."

"Oh, Mr. Chairman," replied Grosvenor, "we might have gone on the high seas and committed piracy to procure money. The one is robbery the other unconstitutional."

Mr. Hyde's amendment was carried by 64 to 37, despite the appeal of Cannon urging members to stand with the committee. Mr. Cannon secured

Mr. Grosvenor's remarks drew fire of Mr. Patterson of Tennessee would not have replied, he said, had not been for the fact that the german from Ohio (Mr. Grosvenor,) appeared as the advance agent of coming McKinley administration.

When Grover Cleveland retired

1889, Mr. Patterson proceeded, the chief of the government was unquestionably the world. He attributed the special ills that followed to the Sherman Silver-purchasing Act of 1890, which produced gold receipts at the customhouses to less than 4 per cent. For that day the country had been in distress and he insisted that it was fair to say that the results of a during such a period were none. With much vehemence he declared

The friends of the Ohio candidate said he could not relegate this question to the rear. They had straddled the question, and now came before the country saying that the sole reason for existing conditions was the unfair taxation of the people. But he was

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STRANGLED BY HIS SPOUSE.

The Apparent Fate of an Italian.

A Shocking Tragedy Discovered at Stockton.

Andrea Vaccarella's Wife Loved Another Man.

Alfred Hands Murdered by Apaches. State School-land Funds—Gov. Hughes Explains His Removal—Sunday-school.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

STOCKTON, April 1.—Andrea Vaccarella, a bootblack, was murdered last night, and his wife is now in jail on suspicion of having been implicated in the homicide. The officers are confident that Vaccarella was killed by her and her paramour, and are now looking for the latter. Shortly after 1 o'clock this morning Mrs. Vaccarella rushed from her house, which is located on Washington street, two blocks east of East street, and ran to the house of a neighbor. She told him that burglars had entered her home and were trying to kill her husband. The neighbor sought the aid of another neighbor, and together with Mrs. Vaccarella, they went to the latter's home, but all three were afraid to enter without further assistance. They then went to Constable Howe's place, not far away, and aroused him. He hurriedly dressed, but by this time nearly half an hour had elapsed.

When the constable reached the place he found the front door open and Vaccarella's body lying in the doorway. About the man's neck was a small cloth tied tightly around it, and tied to the knob of a door. Blood was gushing from nose, mouth and ears, and he had been dead but a few minutes. There was every indication that there had been a desperate struggle, and the house was in a state of disorder. The drawers in the bureau had been taken out and strewn about, and several trunks had been opened by burglars. There was no great amount of money in the house, and Vaccarella possessed no valuable jewelry. The blood on the floor and blotches of blood on the floor in the two rooms, indicating that Vaccarella had been killed in the bedroom and his body dragged to the front door.

The officers soon learned that the bootblack had a violent quarrel with his wife earlier in the night, and they were fighting when a young man named Hall, who lives in the neighborhood, passed by the house. It was also learned from some of the Italians who know the couple well that the wife was enamored of another of her race, and that this was the cause of the trouble between her and her husband.

LATER—It was found by the coroner's jury that Vaccarella came to his death by strangulation, and that the blood had been poured into his throat and lungs. A boy who lives near the Vaccarella home, saw him going around the house last night with a shotgun in his hand, and saw him shoot at a man who was passing by. Later, at about 11 o'clock last night, the boy heard from his bedroom the sound of a scuffle in the hall, and he concluded that it was another family quarrel. He saw when he passed the house last night that the curtains were up and saw that the lights were all down, an occurrence that none of the neighbors remember before.

As the wife, who is Vaccarella's second wife, had many quarrels with him before, owing to his habit of getting drunk, it is thought that in a family quarrel last night she overpowered him in making a defense, and strangled him to death. There is no probability that any man had anything to do with the affair, the officers maintain, though there was an effort to make it appear as if the officers to that supposition by strewing things about the house, and ransacking the drawers where valuables might be kept. Vaccarella had no money to speak of. He was strangled, and the body was dragged from the bedroom to the front door, placed in a clothes-line taken from the back yard was used to tie around his neck. The clothes-line was cut with a kitchen knife, as is shown by the lint on it. The woman is still in jail.

MURDERED BY APACHES.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

SAN SIMON (Ariz.), April 1.—Settlers in this part of the Territory are wrought up to a high pitch of excitement over the murder of Alfred Hands, a settler, and details of the crime have just been learned. Hands' head was crushed in by rocks, the abdomen was cut open, and gunshot wounds were in several parts of the body. Tracks on the ground showed that Indians had committed the crime. The murderers were not satisfied with killing Hands and robbing his home of what they had taken, but they destroyed everything else.

Evidently the Indians had surprised the unfortunate settler when he was busy outside his house, and finding him physically disabled, stoned him to death, and perhaps mutilated him when still alive.

At present cowboys and a detachment of cavalry under command of Lieut. Rice are in pursuit of the Indians, but, owing to the good start, there is little hope that they will be overtaken. The settlers hope that the Territorial government will take this matter into its own hands and form a small band of determined men well paid, for the purpose of wiping out this band of murderers.

STATE SCHOOL-LAND FUND.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

A HITCH in the investment of the Sacramento, April 1.—The Bee tonight will publish a story to the effect that notwithstanding the fact that the law provides that whenever there shall be \$10,000 in the State school land fund, the same shall be invested; that there is at present nearly \$300,000 in the fund. The Bee will say that this is due to the fact that Atty.-Gen. Fitzgerald has placed his stamp of disapproval upon the bonds of various counties, many of the issues of which bonds have already been taken by some of the leading banks in the State.

It will also say that the State is believed to be the holder of many bonds, which, if the Attorney-General is correct, are absolutely valueless, and that although he did not consider these county bonds a safe investment, he refuses to give his sanction to an investment of \$300,000 in the late national

bond issue, and that by this means many thousands of dollars in interest have been lost to the schools of the State.

BY FORGED TELEGRAMS.

Gov. Hughes's Explanation of His Removal from Office.

TUCSON (Ariz.), April 1.—The Star, Gov. Hughes's newspaper, says that whatever mystery has attached to the cause of Gov. Hughes's removal has been dispelled by information received yesterday. As the charges preferred a year ago, and investigated by special agents, had been dismissed, the supposed cause of removal was the circumstance that the Governor favored the Arizona land-lease bill, vetoed by the President and passed over the veto. It is now learned that several telegrams bearing the forged signature of the Governor were sent from the Territory to members of Congress, urging the passage of the land-lease bill over the President's veto. These telegrams were afterwards obtained by an opponent of Gov. Hughes and shown to President Cleveland.

SUNDAY-SCHOOL CONVENTION.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

Annual Meeting at Sacramento of the State Association.

SACRAMENTO, April 1.—The annual State Sunday-school convention opened in this city this evening at 7:30 o'clock, and the Congregational Church, which is the largest church building in the city, was found to be entirely too small to accommodate the immense crowd that assembled to witness the proceedings.

Tonight's programme consisted of a praise service, led by Ira D. Sankey and George C. Stebbins; addresses of welcome by Mrs. J. A. McIntyre and Rev. H. N. Hoyt; responses by Rev. W. Gardner of San Francisco, and Rev. John Hannon of Ukiah; address by Rev. R. S. Cantine of San José, "Why Hold This Convention."

The Fish Commissioner Flashed.

UKIAH, April 1.—A complaint was sworn out today, charging J. D. Hollingsworth, local fish commissioner, with catching and selling trout during the closed season. The matter was brought up at a special meeting of sportsmen's clubs and the commissioner was charged with the sale of trout. Hollingsworth has been particularly active in informing on illicit sportsmen, and he is greatly aggrieved at the charge, which he considers a compromise position in which he is placed.

Fire in Chinatown.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 1.—Two alarms were turned in early this morning for a fire in Chinatown, which, before it was subdued, badly damaged a number of Chinese rookeries at the corner of Jackson and Stockton streets. The burning structures were all occupied by Chinese, and the lodgers poured down the narrow stairways in great alarm. The loss on buildings and stock will aggregate fully \$20,000.

Rev. Johnson's Suits.

FRESNO, April 1.—In the damage suit for \$25,000 brought by Rev. Johnson against the Citizens' Committee, an answer was filed today containing the statement that the suit was filed yesterday, and the answer following so soon is proof that the defendants intend to push the suit to trial as fast as possible. The case will be set for court next Friday, and will be set down for trial. The suits for damages against Fresno and San Francisco papers, which Johnson said he would bring, have not yet been filed.

TEN PERSONS BURNED.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

A FATAL FIRE IN AN ITALIAN TENEMENT HOUSE.

The Only Mode of Escape After the Fire Was Well Under Way Was by an Iron Ladder Too Hot to Use—The Victims.

NEW YORK, April 1.—Ten persons were burned in a fire early this morning at No. 38 Union street, Brooklyn. The building was a four-story tenement house occupied by Italians. The dead are: AUGUST BUNO, wife and two children; LENA CALABIA, 18 years old; NICOLA TRALLIA, aged 30; LENA, his daughter, aged 24; DOMINICK, his son, aged 24; and CORNELIA MARETTA, aged 28. All met death by suffocation. Bunno and family lived on the third floor, the rest on the second floor. The fourth floor was unoccupied. The occupants of the first floor escaped. John Calabie, husband of Lena Calabia, escaped from the second floor. The cause of the fire, which originated in a hallway on the first floor, is unknown. The pecuniary loss is \$4000.

There were many exciting incidents connected with the fire. One man, whose name is unknown, jumped from the window of the third story and escaped with burns and bruises. The family of Joseph Estosto, living on the second floor, when aroused, found the door cut off and the flames sweeping into the room. Estosto took his wife and three children to a cornice in the front of the house, guided them along it to a building adjoining, from which they were taken by the firemen.

An iron ladder at the rear of the house could easily have been reached from the window, but it was too hot to use. Except the fire escapes, the only outlet from the upper floors was a narrow wooden stairway, by which escape was cut off soon after the fire started.

Caught a Counterfeiter.

NEW YORK, April 1.—Emanuel Ninger was arrested tonight and confined in Ludlow-street jail in default of \$30,000 bail. The secret service agents of the Federal government believe they have a counterfeiter who has baffled all efforts for seventeen years. It was in 1878 that the government detectives first began to hunt for a person who could, with simple pen, ink and paper, so successfully imitate a costly engraved United States greenback, that Charles H. Miller, Los Angeles; John Jenks, San Diego; W. Aldridge, Phoenix, Ariz.; W. W. Hamilton, Denver; A. B. Singer, the man they have been looking for so long.

Seized an American Schooner.

NEW YORK, April 1.—A dispatch to the World from Colon, Colombia, says that the American schooner G. W. Whitford, Capt. Foote, was seized by the Colombian gunboat Cordova while leaving Porto Bello. The charge against the vessel is not made known, but it is believed she carried contraband goods. Capt. Foote declared he had proper San Andreas clearance papers, and was going to Cartagena for the customary coasting permit.

Raised Troops for Rhodesia.

CAPE TOWN, April 1.—Sir Hercules Robinson, the Governor of Cape Colony, has authorized the raising of a body of 500 men at Mafeking in Cape Colony, on the border of the Transvaal, for service in Rhodesia. These men will be commanded by Imperial officers, instead of by the officers of the Chartered Company.

TWO BILLIARD WIZARDS.

(SPORTING RECORD.)

IVES AND SCHAEFFER PLAY A BEAUTIFUL GAME.

Stenitz Loses Two Games of Chess to Schiffers—Princeton Plays Ball-Good Sport at Bay District. Road Warner's Winning.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

NEW YORK, April 1.—Madison Square Garden concert hall was crowded tonight by a big crowd of billiard lovers, eager to see Frank Ives and Jacob Schaeffer cross cues for the first time in the eighteen-inch ball-line game. Ives won the break and chose the white ball.

The first good work of the evening was accomplished in the fifth inning. Ives failed to score, but Schaeffer played very pretty billiards and forged ahead rapidly. When he had made fifty by good all-around play he was loudly applauded, and the applause was renewed when the scorer called 77. Schaeffer's best run on Monday night was 78, and he had thus beaten his previous high record. His ninety-seventh shot, a difficult massé, was beautifully executed and the audience cheered loudly. There was another outburst when Jake passed the century mark. He kept on until he had 115 buttons, and, after calling on a long two-cushion shot, he gave way to Ives, who was just 110 points behind, the score standing, Schaeffer 183; Ives 43.

Ives's face bore a very determined expression when he began his sixth inning, and by a succession of draws and gathering shots, he soon put up 50 and continued until his 74th shot, a difficult attempt to bank off two cushions for a carom. His cue ball passed between the red and white, missing by the narrowest of margins. Schaeffer's seventh inning brought some of the prettiest work that he has ever accomplished, and although he only made 66, the inning was more replete with brilliant plays than the preceding ones.

In the eighth inning Ives scored 70 points and Schaeffer failed again to score. The champion struck a fast gait in the eleventh inning, and very quickly ran up 119. In the eleventh inning he got his nerve and ran out the game with an unfinished break of 103, amid a good deal of excitement and cheering at the end of the last play.

SUMMARY.

Ives—0, 39, 1, 3, 0, 73, 27, 3, 1, 70, 119; 21, 45, 3, 1, 27, 0, 64, 103; total 600; highest run, 119; average, 31.11-12.

Schaeffer—1, 0, 35, 115, 66, 4, 0, 4, 0, 29, 31, 27, 0, 7, 3, 0, 70; total 394; highest run, 115; average, 21.16-19.

BAY DISTRICT.

Bellicose Takes the April Handicap.

Road Warner Wins.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 1.—There were eight races at the Bay District today, of which the April handicap, a seven-furlong event for a purse of \$1000 was the feature. The odds-on favorite, Nagle, Burke's sprinter Bellicose proved too much for him, and won easily by two open lengths. Marked also won the seven-furlong dash with Crescendo, who won easily from George Miller. The racing will be transferred tomorrow to Ingleside for a period of two weeks. Three favorites, two second, two third choices and one outsider landed the different events today. The weather was perfect, and the spectators were in great numbers.

Five furlongs: Johnny Capron won, Yreka second, Arno third; time 1:04. Seven furlongs: Unity won, The L. second, Tonino third; time 1:33. Four furlongs: Elmer F. won, America second, Huntsman third; time 1:02.

Seven furlongs, special handicap: Bellicose won, Libertine second, Sallie Cliequot third; time 1:27.

One mile and a half over six hurdles, handicap: Sir Reel won, Arundel second, April third; time 2:46.

Five furlongs: Road Warner won, Last Chance second, Seraphin third; time 1:01.

Six furlongs: Crescendo won, George Miller second, Ricardo third; time 1:24.

One mile: St. Lee won, Schmitzer second, Rosebud third; time 1:41.

THE HENLEY REGATTA.

Entries Closed Yesterday—Yale not in the Four-oared Race.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

HENLEY-ON-THAMES, April 1.—(By Atlantic Cable.) Entries for the Henley regatta for 1896 closed today and point to the probability that it will be the best event of the kind ever held.

The following have entered for the Grand Challenge Cup: Yale, Leander, Trinity Hall, Exeter, and others. The Henley regatta, held at Henley-on-Thames, is one of the most important events of the kind ever held.

Those Olympic Games.

LONDON, April 1.—A letter from a well-known member of the Royal Yacht Squadron, who is visiting here, says he is not going to wait for the Olympic games, adding: "Really, I never saw Denver's farce. On Sunday the athletes were practicing and the King and his court were looking on. They could not do anything but stand and watch the farce, and the King was a man who could only jump 2 1/2 ft. high. The arena is not nearly finished, and I do not think it ever will be finished."

More Professional Wheelmen.

PHILADELPHIA, April 1.—C. M. Murphy, the crack Brooklyn wheelman, has, at his own request, been declared a professional. Chairman Gleason of the A.A.W. today made the change public when he issued his weekly bulletin. Declared professionals (own request): C. M. Murphy of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Louis Callahan, Buffalo, N. Y.; W. A. Terrell, San Francisco; W. A. Taylor, Duarte, Cal.; Clyde Washburn, Duarte, Cal.; B. V. Young, San Diego, Cal.; Charles H. Miller, Los Angeles; John Jenks, San Diego; W. Aldridge, Phoenix, Ariz.; W. W. Hamilton, Denver; A. B. Singer, the man they have been looking for so long.

Little Rock Races.

LITTLE ROCK (Ark.), April 1.—The weather was clear and cool, and the track heavy.

Four furlongs: Suisun won, Albion second, John Bon third; time 0:51. Seven furlongs: Joe O'Son won, Upman second, Kirk third; time 1:34.

One mile: Sidelon won, Cravasse second, Fayette third; time 2:04. Four furlongs: Chapple won, Goose Liver second, Sea Rooster third; time 0:54.

Seven furlongs: Nat P. won, Magie Gray second, Hanobelle third; time 1:04.

Stenitz and Schiffers.

NEW YORK, April 1.—According to the latest European papers to hand Stenitz lost the third and fourth games of the chess match against Schiffers, the latter losing the fifth. The score now reads: Stenitz, 3; Schiffers, 2.

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MEXICO AND MONROEISM.

PRESIDENT DIAZ FINALLY MAKES HIS POSITION KNOWN.

Thinks that the Doctrine of a Similar One Should Be the International Law of This Continent.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

CITY OF MEXICO, April 1.—The most important part of the President's message, delivered today at the opening of Congress, is an allusion to the Anglo-Venezuelan controversy and President Cleveland's message to Congress. This part of the Mexican President's message is as follows:

"With our northern neighbor, our intercourse is of the same friendly and cordial character as our diplomatic relations have been for some years past. Naturally the revocation of that doctrine which condemns all attempts at European usurpation and tendencies to modify republican institutions of the new world in a monarchial direction arouse great enthusiasm among the free nations of this continent, and gave occasion for demonstrations of sympathy, both popular and governmental."

"Invitations of an international character were not lacking that the Mexican government should at once state its opinion in so grave a matter, but the executive considered that haste was not proper in expressing an opinion on a subject which involved not only the Monroe doctrine, but also its application to the controversy between Great Britain and Venezuela. As we were not acquainted with the question as well, perhaps, as the United States, we were not in a position to assume the claims of England necessarily, all connected with the border boundary dispute afforded ground for application of the wise doctrine in question."

"For the whole of the United States, the fact that England had refused to submit to arbitration her claims to a part of the disputed territory, while accepting the sentiment of the Monroe doctrine, sufficient ground for unfavorable presumptions, seeing that the Mexican government has declared on more than one occasion that it will not accept arbitration for certain territorial questions, especially affecting the honor of the nation."

"The reasons I declined to make any public statement to the proposition in regard to the question that affected the interests and the most delicate of our relations with England, entitled to our respect. I simply stated that I was in favor of the Monroe doctrine, rightly interpreted, but that I did not believe it was applicable to the concrete case in question. Now that, happily, the crisis has passed which seemed to threaten war between the United States and England, with the Anglo-Saxon race is divided, and that our sister republic, Venezuela, is carrying on at Washington peaceful negotiations for the settlement of the boundary dispute, it may not be out of place to allude to the desires of these persons who have requested the Mexican government to state her opinion with regard to the Monroe doctrine, without entering into discussions as to its origin and historical circumstances which descending into the particulars of its proper limit when marked out by its author and so prudently recalled by President Cleveland."

"The Mexican government cannot but declare its partiality for a doctrine which condemns as criminal any attacks on the part of the monarchies of Europe against the republics of America; against the independent nations of this continent, now all subject to the yoke of European domination. The struggle of our people to shake off the yoke of foreign empire, which is European both in its origin, form and results, is a struggle which we sympathize with. This feeling is not our opinion that to the United States, on the immensity of its resources, belongs the obligation of assisting our republics in the hemisphere against the attacks of Europe, if such attacks are still to be considered as possible; but for the maintenance of an empire to which we aspire, each one of those republics ought, by means of a declaration of the struggle of our people to shake off the yoke of foreign empire, which is European both in its origin, form and results, is a struggle which we sympathize with. 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AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT.

LOS ANGELES—A Milk White Flag.
ORPHEUM—Vandellie.

The Times will be sent for "La Fiesta week," including the great special Fiesta edition, for 20 cents to any address in the United States. Each day's proceedings will be fully reported and elaborately illustrated. Order early to "avoid the rush."

STAND BY THE PEOPLE'S HARBOR!

The Chamber of Commerce, through its board of directors, as well as the Free Harbor League, have reaffirmed their adhesion to San Pedro as the true, proper and exclusive site for a government harbor on the coast of Los Angeles county. This important action has been wired to Washington.

No other action could have been expected from these representative bodies. There is only one side to this harbor question. Never were the interests of the people in an important enterprise more clearly defined, more entirely beyond the pale of reasonable discussion on the part of those who have taken the trouble to ascertain the facts.

The further appropriation for an inner harbor, already recommended by the engineers, has been urged on Congress by our people and representatives. Not only this, but the greater project for an adequate deep-sea harbor at the same point has never been lost sight of. Our people have never for a moment contemplated the abandonment of this larger project, so essential to the shipping and commercial interests of the Southern Pacific Coast. They do not admit that because a smaller appropriation only was asked for at this time, owing to the depleted condition of the public treasury, they look with any favor whatever on the efforts of Mr. Huntington and his corporate cohorts to transfer the harbor site from the point chosen by that authority on which Congress depends in making harbor appropriations, namely, the board of engineers of the United States army. For Congress to make an appropriation for the Southern Pacific Company's private harbor, without a favorable report from the board of engineers, would be unprecedented. As a distinguished member of Congress said recently to the Los Angeles delegation in Washington: "When the government can no longer trust its engineers in the matter of harbor improvements, it is time for it to go out of business."

We believe the members of the Rivers and Harbors Committee were grossly deceived at the hearing given to Messrs. Hood and Cortell, the Southern Pacific engineers. These servants of the Southern Pacific Company made numerous misleading statements, wholly unsupported by the facts, and cunningly designed to deceive members of the committee, who could not be expected to have personal knowledge of the situation, for, be it remembered, California has no representation on this committee. The misfortune is that no one was present to refute the statements of these engineers, many of which were so obviously false that an average Los Angeles schoolboy could have exposed them. How it happened that our representative from Los Angeles county was not present is inexplicable.

The Times does not attack the motives of the Rivers and Harbors Committee of the House. We believe the members desired, and still desire, to do their duty by the country; but they have been led astray by the false statements made by Mr. Huntington's hired men. This cannot go on. The committee and the two houses will be enlightened before this contest is over; we yet hope that San Pedro will win, and that there will be no diversion of the appropriation to another point, thus crippling the true and officially chosen site, and jeopardizing the more important work of creating there a deep-sea harbor, open to all, and free to the people and the great commercial interests of Southern California.

Once more we desire to make it clear to the public and to Congress that, so far as this community is concerned, there is no contest between these two rival seaport towns as such. Our Chamber of Commerce, embracing a thousand merchants and other business men; our Free Harbor League, embracing a large membership of the same classes; our people generally have no special interest in these rival seaport towns outside of the question of their adaptability to harbor purposes. It is the general good of the community and its commercial interests which concern our citizens. Above all, they make no contest against the town situated in the vicinity of Mr. Huntington's wharf. They wish it no harm, but they do insist that the harbor site selected and approved by the highest authority—the government engineers—and repeatedly recommended by them for further improvement, shall not be abandoned at the instance and for the

at the mercy of the Southern Pacific of Kentucky.

The storm of protest raised by this section through the Free Harbor League and through private channels has, however, blocked Mr. Huntington's sly game, although we are to be punished, as it appears, by getting an allowance, at this time, of but \$50,000 for San Pedro.

The dispatch quotes Congressman McLachlan as saying that he understood, from members of the delegation recently sent to Washington in the interest of San Pedro, that "no opposition was to be made to other localities if San Pedro was provided for."

The facts are that the delegation from the Free Harbor League was not in Washington to oppose anything or in the interests of anything except the improvement of the inner harbor at San Pedro, as it was understood that nothing looking to the question of an outer harbor would be entertained by the present Congress. Certainly, had the delegation presumed that the matter of an outer harbor was under consideration, they would have taken action accordingly.

It would appear that Mr. McLachlan presumed the members of the San Pedro Harbor delegation were posted as to what was going on behind the scenes. They were not, but the knowledge is abroad now, and the crafty Mr. Huntington has probably heard as much.

Once more has Southern California squirmed loose from the tentacles of the octopus.

U. S. GRANT, JR.

The Times learns, from San Diego, with much satisfaction, that positive assurances have been received from leading spirits in the delegation now representing California at Washington, indicating the acceptability of U. S. Grant, Jr., as a delegate-at-large to the National Republican Convention from this State. It is clearly seen that Mr. Grant would be a powerful influence in favor of the people of California at St. Louis, and that he would add weight to the solid McKinley delegation which the majority of Republican voters of this State desire to have sent to the convention.

The knowledge that Mr. Grant is a firm McKinley man is sufficient to make thousands of patriotic Californians eager to proffer to him with a hearty voice an honor which they think he is eminently qualified to bear with distinction and with advantage to this commonwealth and the Republican party.

Any possible dissent to the sending of Mr. Grant to St. Louis could come only from the base influence of the State, or from those sources where a spirit of utter selfishness predominates, and the possessors of such selfish aspirations have a higher regard for their personal desires than they have for the wishes and the welfare of the whole people. California is in no mood at this time to have the houses of self-seeking politicians trifle with the wishes of the honest element of the party. Like the entire Republican party from the Atlantic to the Pacific, California Republicans mean to make the houses understand that this is not a boss-ruling year, either in the matter of the selection of convention delegates or of Presidential nominations.

The people are in the saddle, thank God!

The decision reached by the jury in Judge Shaw's court yesterday, in the headwreck case, covers a highly important point, which is of especial interest to every resident of the city, and to every owner of land along the river front above the city. The water under certain lands was decided to be river water, and as such subject to the city's control. The amount of compensation awarded to the owners of these lands covered the value of the lands, irrespective of the water in and under them. Had the city been obliged to pay for the latter, at the rates demanded, the headwreck site would have been a very expensive acquisition. The city is to be congratulated on the result, and on the adroit and able manner in which City Attorney Dunn has conducted the case.

Senator Moret, an authority on international law, recently declared that "Cuba is the Gibraltar of the Western Hemisphere," and that for this reason "Europe would never consent to have it annexed to the United States." With all due deference to Senator Moret, the reason he gives for the non-annexation of Cuba to the United States is a most excellent reason why no European nation should be permitted to own or control Cuba.

Mr. Bowers has seen a great light, and is no longer for Reed. In a letter to one of his constituents he concedes Maj. McKinley's great strength in California, and indicates his intention to climb up on the outgoing train.

The Bayard boom appears to have been lost in the shuffle, along with Adlai's. This remark applies solely to the United States. In England; the Bayard boom is head and shoulders above all others.

Congressman Bowers of the Seventh District is for U. S. Grant, Jr., for delegate-at-large to the St. Louis convention.

Gen. Weyler came in like a roaring lion, but the present indications are that he will go out like a bleating lamb.

The Coming Horse Show.

The sale of seats will open today at the book store of Gardner & Oliver, corner of Third and Spring streets for the D. M. Bristol's show of educated horses. No lover of horses can afford to miss the equestrianism at Hazard's Pavilion next week. They will find a most wonderful exhibition of animal intelligence. There is not a dull moment from the time the horses come upon the stage until the curtain falls. Their intelligence and skill cannot be excelled. The engagement is for six nights and matinees Wednesday, Friday and Saturday.

AT THE PLAYHOUSES.

ORPHEUM. Big houses continue to reward the efforts of the Orpheum management to amuse and entertain the devotees of variety, and Charles B. Ward, the sweet singer, Al Anderson, with his captivating and breezy fun, and dancing receive ovations nightly. The other features of the bill are Willis and Collins in their bit of travesty on "Pygmalion and Galatea," Albertus and Bartram, the clever wielders of Indian clubs; Frank Mondue, an artist of the slack wire; the Rossleys in their Irish sketch, and the Diantia, musical clown. The same programme will be continued the rest of the week with the usual matinee Saturday afternoon.

ATTRACTION TONIGHT. Of all the funny skits which Charles H. Hoyt has yet given to the American stage there is probably none so replete with the elements of fantastic comedy and extravagant satire as "The Milk White Flag," which will have its initial presentation at the Los Angeles Theater tonight. The play is a broad burlesque based upon the National Guard, and is nature in its rally, and gay with merriment. The piece is given with the very best of the actors that made a portion of its New York success, as well as the same bright and talented people who made the play so successful in New York. There are numerous catchy tunes, features introduced during the progress of the play, the usual bevy of pretty girls, and the play is full of comedy, and several specialties of an engaging sort.

COMING ATTRACTION. The box office of the Burbank Theater opens at 9:30 a.m., for the sale of seats for the performance of the opera, which inaugurates the supplementary season of the Burbank Opera Company. Already numerous requests have been made for choice reservations, and the season bids fair to rival the very best of the season recently closed by this organization.

DIRECTORS' MEETING.

Standing Committee of Chamber of Commerce Announced.

At the meeting of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday, President Patterson read the following list of appointments for membership on the standing committees for the ensuing year:

Commerce—Chairman, J. O. Koepf; H. G. Otis, W. H. Workman, R. W. Burnham, M. H. Newmark.

Finance—Chairman, C. Cohn; J. J. Bergin, W. H. Workman, J. G. Chamberlain, R. W. Pridham.

Immigration—Chairman, C. W. R. Harris; Newmark, M. F. Snyder, R. L. Crane, A. W. Pridham.

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FIELD OF POLITICS.

Robert P. Porter Writes of Southern California.

He Finds the McKinley Sentiment Practically Unanimous.

Orange County Solid for the Ohio Statesman—Morton Merely a Courtesy Candidate—Wisconsin and Indiana Sentiment—Notes.

Robert P. Porter, editor-in-chief of the Cleveland World, whose visit to California was noted in The Times a few days ago, sends to his paper an interesting letter on the political situation in Southern California. Mr. Porter, while here, made a thorough investigation of the subject, and had occasion to call upon many of the leading politicians of the state, and to ascertain the truth. Under date of Los Angeles, March 10, he writes as follows:

"This part of California is a hotbed of strong protection sentiment. McKinleyism is simply rampant. No other candidate is even talked of. From what I learned in conversation with several prominent men of this section, interest in the approaching National Republican Convention is steadily increasing. The sentiment is practically unanimous for McKinley. The feeling is prevalent throughout the state, and the Republican victory at the November election is practically certain, if no mistake is made at the St. Louis convention. That McKinley will be elected is a prevailing opinion in this city and throughout this section of the State."

A thorough canvass among representative Republicans of the State reveals the fact that William McKinley is their first choice for President by an overwhelming majority. There are a few Republicans who have no marked preferences, and fewer still who prefer some other candidate, but the vast majority of the exceptions which prove the rule, and even the few who have other preferences would be fully satisfied with the nomination of McKinley. His nomination would create no schisms, but would command the loyal support of every Republican voter. More than this, it would draw thousands of votes from the opposition.

"It is absolutely true that no candidate could be nominated who would not be elected. McKinley is the only man who would carry the State. The McKinley sentiment is a large producer of oranges, lemons, raisins, grapes, prunes, figs, currants and other fruit crops. The industry in enormous quantities. This State is also a heavy producer of wool and other agricultural staples. The injury to the industry of the State by the tariff on its goods, on which there is levied 30 per cent, duty, and valorem, would be cut in two, and the industry would be practically free. The McKinley sentiment is a large producer of wool and other agricultural staples. The injury to the industry of the State by the tariff on its goods, on which there is levied 30 per cent, duty, and valorem, would be cut in two, and the industry would be practically free. The McKinley sentiment is a large producer of wool and other agricultural staples. 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A RHYME FOR RETAILERS.

If you want to build a business,
Do it in the proper way.
Start it with advertising.
That is sure to make it pay.
Let your goods be always honest.
Prices low and quality made.
Always working, always hustling.
That is the way to build a trade!

Do not think when you're well started
In the face of fame and pelf
That you can neglect the business.
For it will not run itself;
You must watch it, nurse it, tend it,
Giving to it your constant aid;
Perseverance brings success—
That's the way to keep a trade!

All the arts of clever mortal
Or of Solomon the wise
Can't sustain a modern business
If you do not advertise.
Change your ad., and change it daily;
Have it of attractive grade,
And you may be always certain
Of possessing a big trade!

—(Printers' Ink.)

Special Notice—Hicks' candy and ice-cream factory, at 208 South Broadway, will open at 10 a.m., Thursday, April 2. Plain soda and phosphate drinks will be dispensed free to all between the following hours, 2 to 3 and 7 to 8 p.m. C. W. Hicks.

Look out for Miss Anna Shaw's brilliant lecture on "The Indignity of Chivalry," Saturday evening, April 4, at Simpson's Tabernacle. It will be the finest intellectual treat of the season. Admission 25 cents.

Beginners' physical culture class for adults organized at 6:15 p.m., at the club training for the delicate and over-fleshy. N. Alfrey, school for physical training, elocution and dancing, No. 228 South Spring street.

All-day four-fold gospel meetings tomorrow, 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., at No. 107 1/2 North Main street. Miss Lida Romick and Mrs. Osmond, friends ministers, will speak.

For Rent—Fine, well-lighted front rooms in third story of Times Building. Also, large rear room, suitable for society hall. Elevator to be installed. Times Building, basement.

The ladies of the Methodist Church, corner Union avenue and Court street, serve Easter supper tomorrow evening from 5 to 8 p.m. Easter eggs and candies will be sold.

T. Bessing has resumed his old position with the Los Angeles Lithographing Company, though this will in any way interfere with his gymnasium teaching.

Today being Holy Thursday, there will be special services at St. Paul's Church at 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. The public welcome.

For sale—Fine Early Rose seed potatoes at Loeb, Fleishman & Co., No. 314 North Los Angeles street, at 30 cents per hundred weight.

Big discounts on Indian baskets this week. Campbell's Curio Store, No. 325 South Spring.

A sectional map of the five southern counties of California given free with each prepaid yearly subscription to The Daily Times.

The public is invited to attend a reception in Miss Ashmead's studio in Downey Block, on Friday, April 3.

Lenton & Reese, florists, will open at No. 206 South Broadway at 10 o'clock today.

Eastern and California oysters on shell, 50c dozen, Hollenbeck Hotel Café. Indian basket sale at Campbell's.

The Ladies' Auxiliary will meet in the Y.M.C.A. parlors this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Officer Shields arrested a boy yesterday for riding a bicycle on the sidewalk. The lad will appear in court this afternoon.

Ike Ernest was given a ninety-day fender for vagrancy some time ago. Detective Hawley saw him on the street yesterday and took him to jail to serve out his sentence.

Ellas Establan, a gypsy whose band is camped over on the East Side, was arrested by Officer Spencer at 6:30 o'clock last evening for striking a gypsy woman in a brutal way.

Thomas White applied at the Police Station yesterday for medical treatment. He was suffering from a sprained knee, and was in bad shape. He was sent to the County Hospital.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for E. S. Stilson, J. B. Clifford, McCleary, Charles P. Dark, B. M. Fries, M. C. Helwig, Wagner and Clarence Turney.

The Los Angeles City Gun Club has joined the State Game and Fish Association, and will send a team to Stockton when the annual shoot comes off on Decoration day. The club has now over one hundred members.

The Ardmore, a boarding-house, is to be removed from the corner of Sixth street and Broadway, to make room for a handsome brick block, to be erected at that corner. Workmen are cutting down the building for removal.

Two lost children were taken to the Police Station yesterday to await the arrival of their father, who was found about 8 o'clock. John Bgivar, the little fellow's father, soon came for him.

THE DERRICK BROKE.
Sidney Barnett Struck by a Crow

Sidney Barnett was yesterday struck by a heavy piece of iron falling from a height of thirty feet, and painfully injured.

John Barnett & Sons, a firm of well-diggers, is drilling an eleven-inch well for water on Ninth street near the bridge which crosses the river. The water is needed for the boilers of the Asphalt and Oil-refining Company.

The men had put up a derrick of strong, new wood, about thirty feet high. The derrick was yesterday down about fifty feet. A big sand-bucket of unusual weight was let down and became caught, it is believed. The derrick still stands, the heavy weight broke down the derrick. The heavy crown-pulley and the blocks came whirling down. The crown-pulley, a mass of iron weighing 150 pounds, a foot and a half across and three inches thick, struck Sidney Barnett, the seven-year-old son of John Barnett, knocking him down.

The unfortunate boy was taken to the Receiving Hospital, where Dr. Bryant attended to his injuries.

May Nannary Bennett.
There is no question that May Nannary and Dalley's company will be greeted by a large house on East Monday, not alone from the fact of their deserving it, but the programme of volunteers will be exceptionally interesting and diversified. There will be single vocalists, quartettes, special features in the vaudeville line, a novelty by Mollie Stockmeyer singing Hawaiian songs in the native language and presenting her terpsichorean creation, the Honolulu dance. The Dalley people will give two acts from one of their strongest numbers. The box sale will open today, and judging by the canvassed sale the choice seats will be disposed of early.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U.S. Gov't Report

Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

THE OIL HOLES.

Oleaginous Drippings from the Second-street Field.

Those who are boring wells in the oil field still show the same predilection for the old field above the new one, the wells there being rather unsatisfactory as to production. The greater depth of the oil vein in the new field also entails a greater expense in the boring, a second reason for the popularity of the older field.

The Oil Exchange reports the shipping of 3000 barrels of Los Angeles oil to the Portland Gas Works at Portland, Or. The oil will cost slightly over \$2.40 per barrel when delivered. As Portland may be sold to be in the center of the great coal fields, this action may be classed as carrying the war into the enemy's country with a vengeance.

If the oil producers can successfully compete with the coal men at \$2.40 per barrel on the latter's own ground, then the future of all home production is assured.

Parker & Morrill have started a new well on the corner of Ohio and Court streets. They expect to go down about 800 feet.

E. North has started "spudding" as the first boring is called, in his well on Angelena street. The rig was moved over on Monday.

C. A. Manner has started to move his rig from State street to Lockwood street, preparatory to boring a new well there. The expected depth of the wells in that locality is about 900 feet.

Turner Bros., the pioneers in the field, are now cleaning out their well situated on the corner of State street and Lakeshore avenue.

Whittier & O'Donnell drilled a well less than two weeks ago on First street near Union avenue. They are now pulling the casing and will deepen the well, in order to increase the output, which has fallen to less than fifteen barrels per day.

Further Consultation of Physicians and Its Result.

Mme. Modjeska passed a very comfortable day yesterday, at the home of her friend and physician, Dr. J. H. Bulard, on Olive street. A further consultation of physicians was held in the morning, and a conclusion reached that the distinguished patient was also suffering from neuritis, an inflammatory condition of the nerves of the shoulder and arm, consequent upon the clotting of blood in the veins and depriving the parts of their requisite nutrition.

Because of this neuritis she has frequent exacerbation of pain in the arm and hand, which is very distressing, and requires great fortitude to bear patiently. Needless to say that Mme. Modjeska, from her great force of character, does so smilingly. She is anxious to get to her ranch, where she has perfect rest and recreation, and will go as soon as her physicians decide that she is sufficiently rested from her fatiguing journey from Chicago. She will stop with friends at Anaheim a few days first, and then go on to El Toro, where the hardest part of the journey begins, nine miles in a carriage over a rough mountain road. Once at home she hopes soon to regain her strength and to fully recover the use of the arm again. Her physicians hold out to her every promise of this result being a certainty.

A Tea-peddler.
Ah Louie is a peddler of teas and other Oriental wares. With his baskets slung from a pole which rests over his shoulders, he trots all up and down the town in search of customers. Yesterday afternoon he was on the East Side. One woman was hard-hearted enough to resist all his blandishments and not buy as much nor just what he wanted her. So Ah Louie got angry and commenced to quarrel. The terrified woman called Officer Romans and the peddler was placed under arrest.

300 INDIAN BASKETS

To Be Sold at Big Discounts.

Twenty to 25 Per Cent. Less Than Can Be Bought Elsewhere in Southern California.

We began our discount sale Monday on our large stock of Indian baskets, and will continue it for a few days, until our surplus stock is disposed of. We have sold a great many the past three days. If you wish a fancy work basket or waste-paper basket for the library, come and select before the best are sold. We can sell you a nice basket from \$1 to \$5. Remember we are the only house that has all the different weaves and patterns. We do our own collecting and pick the best. We have the Pimas, Maricopas, Klamaths, Alakas, Tularas, Tel River, Chico, Mission, Tejon, Dighe and other well known baskets. We will sell them with the names and prices. Take advantage of the sale. Only a few days more. Campbell's Curio Store, No. 325 South Spring.

We have the famous sitting Bull relics and life-size photos of the great chiefs.

THE FLUSH OF YOUTH.
A beautiful face is a joy forever.

Mrs. Tully, the great complexion specialist, explains how beauty can be obtained.

Mme. Tully, the great dermatologist and complexion specialist of New York City, has located at the Nadeau Hotel, parlors 105 and 106, introducing her new system of beauty culture. While most ladies know the consequent results of experimenting with cosmetics, Mme. Tully has firmly convinced all who have come that she can permanently remove and prevent wrinkles and blotches by her magic touch, aided by medicated steam. All doubts vanish when she shows them that her own beautiful face is subjected to this treatment. She has in fact done many wonderful things with her facial beautifier in so short a time that the ladies can only comfort themselves by saying "This is really a progressive age."

Ladies of all ages are cordially invited to call and investigate and receive valuable advice free. Ladies who wish to treat themselves at home can secure the steamer with full instructions for their use. Mme. Tully comes to Los Angeles highly recommended by the medical profession, giving evidence of her proficiency in this line. She gives special invitation to the ladies to call and find that beauty is not all a dream. Mme. Tully is ably assisted by her husband, who carefully superintends all the laboratory work, having new apparatus at all the time, suitable to all cases, which gives confidence to their patients. They have practiced in many of the sanitariums of large cities and are cheerfully endorsed by all.

A GOLD FOUNDATION.
Concrete, gold-leather, pleasant treatment, up-to-date shoes and price to please, at the great sale at the Massachusetts Shoe Store, No. 123 West First street, near Spring.

THE DE MONTA COMPANY.
The big tent was filled last night. The sounds of merriment resounded throughout the neighborhood. In fact, the audience is kept laughing from the beginning until the close of the performance. It is beyond a doubt one of the most popular places of amusement in the city.

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Four Great Morning Values.
Great for qualities—great for style—great for money saving. No wonder the merchants along the street complain of dull mornings.

9:30 to 11:30.
Silk Carriage Parasols, with embroidered sticks, crook or ball handle, one of the very best values even we have ever offered; 9:30 to 11:30..... **37c**

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Glasgow Scotch Gingham, 3-Crown brand, handsome Dress styles in plaids and checks, handsome summer colorines, but \$1 worth to a customer; 9:30 to 11:30, the yard..... **5c**

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Black Mohair in newest fancy figured effects, 38 inches broad and a regular 60c quality, none sold before or after 9:30 to 11:30 for..... **25c**

9:30 to 11:30.
Lyon's Silk Velvets, in all the leading spring shades—Every color, every shade; regular \$1.50 quality; from 9:30 to 11:30 for..... **\$1.00**

9:30 to 11:30.
White Silk Parasols, with double ruffle of China Silk and fancy new handles, a value one for \$2. China Silk Parasols, \$2.50. Printed China Silk Parasols in Dresden designs, new and pretty Dresden handles, for \$3.00. India Silk Parasols, \$3.50. Newest designs in White India Silk Parasols, with deep silk ruffle and lace effect, only \$3.50. White Silk Parasols, \$6. White Silk Parasols, with colored Dresden Silk ruffle and Dresden Silk at top, an Easter beauty for \$6.

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Easter Gloves. Easter Silk Gloves, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25. New line of Silk Gloves for Easter, in all the most delicate tints, Gloves and Mitts in both elbow and shoulder lengths. LaCigale Kid Gloves, \$1. LaCigale Kid Gloves, in white, pearl, lemon and all Easter shades, 5-button or 3-button. La Mazeno Kid Gloves, \$1.50. 5-button La Mazeno Kid Gloves, in all the Easter shades, and cream, lemon and pearl, not a dress but that can be matched; kept cleaned and repaired as long as they last; the best glove in the town.

9:30 to 11:30.
Easter Silks, Every Quality and Color. Fancy Figured Taffetas on blue, pink, rose and garnet grounds, with pretty clover leaf and other figures, the day's value for only..... **the \$1.00 yard**

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Colored Dress Goods At Half Their Values. New Silk Stripe Semi Checks in the very handsome light colors, 40 inches broad and one of the very newest things produced this season..... **the 50c yard**

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THE PUBLIC SERVICE

The City Victorious in the Great Headworks Case.

Twenty-five Thousand Dollars Compensation and Damages.

Fire Commissioners Ask the City Council to Quit Using the Fire Hydrants for Sprinkling Purposes.

The Fire Commission yesterday made a pointed request of the City Council that the practice of using the fire hydrants of the city for sprinkling purposes be discontinued. Additional time was granted Chief Moore in which to enforce the ordinance relating to fire escapes.

At the Courthouse the great headworks case was concluded, the compensation and damages for the land condemned being assessed at \$25,000. James Marshall is on trial upon another charge of burglary. Chief Deputy County Clerk George Varcoe has recovered sufficiently to be at his post again.

AT THE CITY HALL.

FIRE COMMISSIONERS.

Council Asked to Quit Using Fire Hydrants for Sprinkling.

The Fire Commissioners yesterday took a definite stand on the question as to how the defective fire hydrants in the city are to be remedied. The fire of last Sunday has stirred up the old contention in this matter, as it was learned, when the department sought to use a fire hydrant, on the occasion referred to, that a wooden plug had been inserted in the hydrant by the City Water Company, rendering the hydrant worse than useless. The hydrant had been used or misused by the sprinkling-cart men, until it leaked constantly, and to prevent the leakage the water company inserted in it the wooden plug. That stopped the leak, but spoiled the hydrant.

Yesterday the Fire Commission took the bull by the horns, and requested the Council to forbid the use of fire hydrants for other than fire department purposes. The matter came up on a communication from the City Council, asking the commission to devise some method whereby the rate of fire hydrants could be stopped. The following letter to the Council, in answer to the communication referred to, was adopted by the Fire Commissioners:

"To the Honorable City Council: In the matter of defective fire hydrants, referred to the Board of Fire Commissioners by your honorable body, on investigation, we find that it was formerly the custom of the City Water Company to promptly repair all hydrants connected with its system, and reported out of order by the Chief of the fire department. Subsequently, it became the practice of the street-sprinkling department to use hydrants indiscriminately for filling sprinkling-cart tanks, and other purposes, this class of work being generally performed by incompetent persons, and the result, in great damage to the hydrants and connections of same. The mischief grew until it assumed such serious proportions that the majority of the hydrants in the city were out of order, and some of them entirely unfit for fire department use. Agitation of the matter followed, and every hydrant in the city was inspected by the fire department, and placed in good condition by the City Water Company. This work was completed about December 1, 1895. The pernicious practice of using hydrants for other than fire department purposes continued, however, and many of them are again in bad shape, it being discovered at a fire occurring on the 29th ultimo, that the hydrant at so important a location as the corner of Second and Hill streets was rendered absolutely useless by the driving of a wooden plug into same, to prevent its running water to waste at its full capacity, owing to a broken valve.

"You are aware that the City Water Company holds to the position that it is not bound under its franchise to keep up other repairs to hydrants than those occasioned by fire department use, and an opinion has been given by the City Attorney practically supporting this point. Formerly the street-sprinkling department took its water for sprinkling from pipes and connections specially provided for that purpose, and the only reason ascertained for their promiscuous use of hydrants, is that they are in some instances more convenient, and as the flow of water is greater, less time is required to fill the cart tanks. There were in the city at the time of inspection mentioned above, 472 hydrants, and 321 of the sprinkling-cart attachments referred to, liberally used throughout the city. Added to the damage to hydrants caused by use for other than fire department services, there is to be considered the possibility that at a critical time a sprinkling-cart may be attached to a hydrant which is necessary in successful fire-fighting. The city is maintaining its fire department at an annual expense of \$50,000, and it seems unbusinesslike that its efficiency should be hampered by obstacles so readily overcome as those mentioned. In view of the fact as set forth, we most respectfully ask your honorable body to forbid the use of fire hydrants for other than fire department purposes."

The commission having received notice to vacate the premises occupied by engine company No. 3, the Council was requested to advise for new quarters for the company within the district bounded by First, Fourth, Hill, and 100 feet east of the east line of Main street.

Upon the Chief's recommendation, permission was granted N. P. Aizender to operate a gasoline engine at No. 213 East Tenth-third street, and J. R. Freeman to erect and operate a mining machinery plant in the Goodwin tract, bounded by Sixth, Tully and Wilcox streets.

The question of buildings whose owners neglect or refuse to comply with the law relating to fire escapes has been agitated of late, and the Chief has been recently instructed to strictly enforce the law. At the meeting yesterday, Chief Moore submitted the following report in the matter to the commission:

"I have notified the owners of all properties unprovided with fire escapes, as required by ordinance, to immediately comply with the provisions of said ordinance, many of whom have and will at once comply with the ordinance. Many of the buildings in the old portion of the city have joint owners, and some are owned by non-residents, or belong to the estate of persons deceased, all of which delay the erection of escapes. I ask until April 15 to make a report as directed by your

body." The additional time desired by the Chief was granted him.

The resignation of W. Mays as a callman of the department was accepted by the commission.

A letter was received by the commission from the Fiesta Executive Committee expressing the appreciation felt by the committee of the commission's decision to allow the fire department to participate in the fiesta parade of April 22.

The following report of work performed, was made to the commission by the Chief:

"The boiler of Engine No. 4 is being repaired by 'batch' with bolts, by the Baker Iron Works, at an expense of \$66.50. The coils have been examined and repaired, and the engine will be in service on the 4th inst. The boiler of Engine No. 5 is leaking, and I will have the engine stripped in the house, and boiler examined, I ask to have the same repaired at once."

"On the 30th inst. I notified the water company to repair the following hydrants: Second and Hill streets; Fifth and Hill streets; Grand avenue and Twenty-first street; Soto and Brooklyn avenues; since which time they have

pany No. 3, promoted to captain and assigned to Chemical Company No. 5. W. R. Price, captain of Chemical Company No. 3, transferred to Chemical Company No. 4. J. B. Stowell, driver of Chemical Company No. 3, transferred to Engine Company No. 3, as driver.

City Hall Park Improved.

Andrew Garey, Superintendent of Parks, is making some needed improvements on the grounds about the City Hall, which are called by courtesy the City Hall Park. Some tasteful border beds and other horticultural additions are being laid out under the supervision of Superintendent Garey.

Sewer Districts Finished.

Contractors Ramish & Marsh yesterday made their "return" on Sewer District No. 6, which includes the territory east and south of Westlake Park, and time for protest on this system does not expire until April 6, but the interest on the unpaid assessments began yesterday at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum. These assessments

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

THE COURTS.

Triumph of the City in the Headworks Case.

After a trial of twenty-two days, exclusive of the taking of testimony upon the preliminary issues, the great headworks case is at last concluded, the jury bringing in a verdict of \$25,000 as the value of the land to be condemned, and damages in the sum of \$2000.

This is regarded as a great victory for the city, as the price set upon the land by the owners was \$15,000. Nearly every one expected the damages to be much more, and even as it is the case will cost the city a little more, as the costs amount to \$2000. With a case like this at one time offered for \$30,000, but the proposition fell through, and now, after much trouble and expense the property has been condemned and the compensation fixed. The fees of the jury alone amounted to \$325, and the cost of the expert testimony has been enormous, but the great point has

of the works thereon as proposed by the plaintiff.

The defendants' estate in the lands in controversy is declared to be subject to the rights of the city in the waters of the river, which is declared to be paramount and superior to the rights of the defendants as riparian proprietors. The right of the city to the water in the river is measured by necessity, and if the need increase in the future, the right will expand to include all that the need require for an ample supply of water for the use of the inhabitants and for all municipal uses and purposes.

For these waters of the city are supplied, the defendants have the right to use the river water on their land for any and every purpose which does not interfere with the equal rights or injury the lands of other riparian proprietors along the river above and below this land. But in exercising this riparian right the defendants have no right to carry off or sell any of the river water for use on lands not riparian, and all surplus water must be turned back into the stream.

Rights in a Subterranean Water Course

After the reading of the verdict, Judge Shaw accused the city with a trial before Judge Smith yesterday, accused of stealing a watch from Miss Georgia Cooke, at the same time as the Rowan burglary. Strenuous efforts are being made by his attorneys, Messrs. Davis & Russell, to prove that Marshall was not shown to be connected with the Cooke burglary, but the fact remains that the watch in question was found in his possession, and he was arrested. The evidence is substantially the same as that put in at his former trial. This case will go to the jury this morning.

In the lands described in the complaint, including all their elements of value, subject to the paramount right of the City of Los Angeles to take from the Los Angeles River from time to time all the waters that may be needed at such times for the use of the inhabitants of said city, and for all municipal and public uses and purposes therein, in the amount of \$23,000.

"The defendant in the complaint constitutes only a part of a larger parcel, and the damages which will accrue to the portion not sought to be condemned and the construction of the improvements and works as proposed by plaintiff, amount to the sum of \$2000.

"The portion of defendants' land not sought to be condemned, will not, nor will any of it be benefited by the construction of the improvement and works as proposed by plaintiff, and the construction of the improvement and works as proposed by plaintiff, will be benefited at all by any diversion by plaintiff of water from its natural course, nor by any distribution or delivery of water proposed to be made by plaintiff."

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MARSHALL TRIED AGAIN.

Yet Another Charge of Burglary Brought Against Him.

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ON DECK AGAIN.

Joy in the Clerk's Office Over His Chief Deputy.

There was a general jubilation in the County Clerk's office yesterday over the reappearance of Chief Deputy George Varcoe, who was injured so severely some time ago by being run over by an electric car. For weeks Mr. Varcoe's life hung in the balance, and his recovery has been slow and tedious, the effect of the injuries being made worse by an insane attack of grippe. From this time forward he will probably be seen at his accustomed post for at least a portion of each day, although it may take some time for him to regain strength for his full duties.

New Suits.

Mrs. Cora Ellen Brown has applied for special letters of administration in the estate of S. R. Brown, deceased. The property is valued at \$250.

W. L. Younger has begun suit against Sarah M. Younger, an insane person, for a decree of court declaring the title of certain property standing in the defendant's name to be vested in the plaintiff.

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Court Notes.

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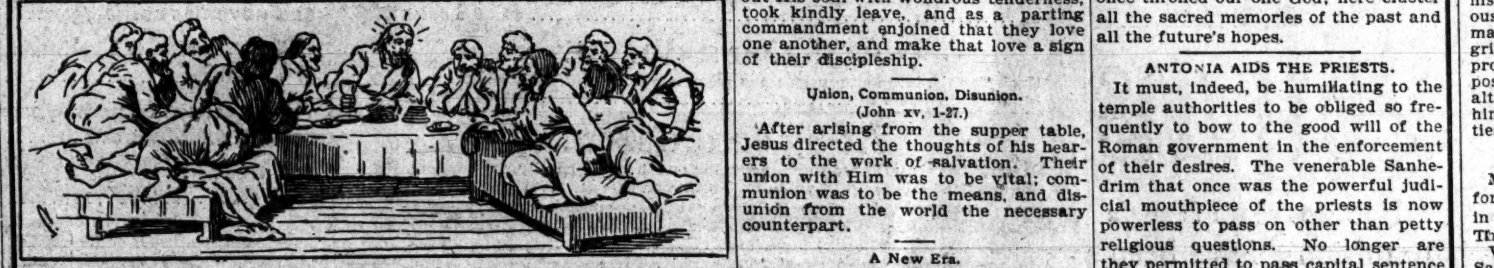
PASCHAL PREPARATIONS.

Israel Partakes of Her Annual Birthright Supper.

THE GALILEAN'S CELEBRATION.

After Presiding Over Their Passover Meal Jesus Anointed Them by Insisting on Washing Their Feet.

Preparations for the paschal supper became today the main duty of the people. Nothing new of a secular character was anywhere taken up; and by midday business was suspended.



THE LAST SUPPER.

Two thank-offering cakes occupied a conspicuous place on a bench in the temple courtyard this morning. As the sun approached the east, a sign to the people that the time for eating leavened bread had past, and then the other to show that the time had come when all heaven should be destroyed.

Shortly after 1 o'clock Israel's people poured into the temple; a joyous surging crowd they were, anxious to witness once more the well-remembered ceremony. Priests and Levites robed in white thronged the courts, and all of the twenty-four courses of the priests were on duty. Then throughout the temple a mighty tide of music from the eighty-first Psalm rolled forth from the Levite chorists, and announced the commencement of the worshipers bearing the lambs to be slain were successively admitted within the court of the priests. His first passed in and the gates were closed. Then at the three-fold blast by the priests on their silver trumpets the lambs were together slain; and as the echoes lingered in the shadowy arches the blood was caught in golden bowls, passed along the file of priests leading up to the altar, and poured in a continuous stream at its base. As this was proceeding, the Levites chanted the psalms from the one hundred and thirtieth to the one hundred and thirty-third, while with each line the people alternated their hallelujahs and joined with the chorus in the words:

"Save now, O Lord, our souls, and we will praise thee, thy bounty. Blessed be in the Court of Jehovah. Blessed be in the name of the Lord."

Promptly they proceeded to the dressing of their sacrifices, removed the parts to be burnt upon the altar, and prepared them for burning. Having been done, the gates of the temple were swung open and each Israelite bearing the slain lamb upon his shoulders went forth to the final preparations for the supper.

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Capt. John Cross is in the city on a flying visit from Ventura. He says with respect to the Ventura and Nordhoff Railway, that all rights-of-way have been secured, except over a few small tracts, and the grade stakes are being set along the route surveyed. The line will give a thorough railway connection to Matijilla Hot Springs, the famous resort hitherto accessible only by stage-coach and a long and laborious drive through the hills of the Coast Range. extensive asphalt deposits lie along the line of the road, and an orange-growing section, hitherto without any railway facilities, from which fifty carloads were sent out this year, will be rendered accessible. Capt. Cross will proceed as rapidly as possible with the work, and expects to have the line open by fall. He returns to Ventura today, from which base operations will be directed.

TO BRIDGE THE BAY. SAN FRANCISCO, April 1.—A bridge across the bay from San Francisco to Oakland is contemplated. It is a magnificent project, and was made public by Col. Lyman Bridges on behalf of the Terminal Company. Plans for a great suspension structure are already in preparation. It is proposed to have the bridge stretch from some convenient point on the water front of the city to the foot of Potrero street, Oakland. The structure will be divided into two 1000-foot spans, ten 400-foot spans, and a large number of 150-foot spans. It was announced to be the intention of the Terminal Company to make the bridge so strong that it could be safely used for the passage of railroad trains, the time occupied in crossing the bay being ten minutes.

If this project be carried into execution it will work a revolution in travel between Oakland and San Francisco, binding their interests more closely together, and may be expected to have some such result as the bridge across the East River has had upon the two cities which it joins. The distance in this instance is much greater than in the other, but the scheme is no engineering obstacle which cannot be overcome, provided the money for its construction can be obtained, and that the interest on the outlay will justify the expense.

IMPORTANT LEASE DECISION. ST. LOUIS (Mo.), April 1.—In the State Supreme Court yesterday at Jefferson City the suit of the St. Joseph and St. Louis Railway, appellants, vs. the St. Louis Iron Mountain and Southern Railroad Company, respondents, involving a lease worth half a million dollars, was decided in favor of the latter road, the decision of the St. Louis Circuit Court being affirmed. The case has been in court nearly ten years, and was brought by the St. Joseph and St. Louis Railway Company against the Iron Mountain for failure to pay rent and keep the road of the St. Joseph company in repair, as agreed in a lease made in 1874 by the St. Joseph company to the old Wabash Railroad Company.

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TO DODGE THE LAW. CHICAGO, April 1.—The western roads are, since the recent decision, taking action to prevent themselves from coming into forcible contact with the interstate commerce law. Yesterday one of the leading western lines sent out a circular to all its agents warning them that there must be no more favoritism shown in granting freight rates than that the agents who did it would be dismissed from the service. Today two more of the roads sent out circulars to their agents saying that the second decision of Judge Brown made it advisable for the roads to be very careful in what they did in the way of granting special rates to any shipper. The circulars were issued with great secrecy, for the reason that the roads are fearful that the fact that they found it necessary to issue circulars on such a subject might cause the officials of the Interstate Commerce Commission to think they had been violating the law in the past by granting special rates to some favorite shippers.

A DYING RAILROAD MAN. CINCINNATI, April 1.—News has been received that T. O. Barbour, treasurer of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad, is lying at the point of death in Indianapolis, and that his friends are looking for him to pass away at any moment.

COMING BY BOAT. SAN FRANCISCO, April 1.—The passengers on the steamer Puruch for Los Angeles are: Miss Baldwin, Mrs. Miller, E. A. Whitelaw, Miss I. Rethel, W. L. Bennett, Mrs. Bacon and her daughter, for Santa Barbara; Miss R. Lydon.

COMING FROM THE EAST. The passengers on the Santa Fe excursion from the East yesterday were Mrs. Sarah A. R. Parker, Miss Webb, John Raymond, Miss Margaret Fisher, E. B. Hall, Mrs. J. B. Robinson, T. Noonan, T. R. Noonan, Boston; Mrs. L. Hanford, Miss Elsie and Jennie Hanford, Miss Lizzie Gilbert, St. Johns, N. H.; Mrs. Lora Wright, Unity, Me.; Mrs. Fred Fuller, Unity, Me.; Mrs. L. M. Watson and daughter, Lowell, Mass.; G. L. Wagner, Miss Emma Wagner, Greenville, O.; D. B. Wilcox, Plymouth, Mich.; James Noh and family, Port Huron, Mich.; Charles B. Has and wife, New York City; E. P. Capron and family, Chicago; Miss Mathene Brownson, Marshalltown, Iowa; O. F. Lowe, Hampton, Iowa; Mrs. O. W. Aldrich, Misses Vera and Berna Aldrich, Mason City, Iowa; E. A. Smith, Kansas City, Mo.

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FOR THE NEWSBOYS' HOME.

The Subscription Started for Purchasing Needed Property.

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On hand from various sources, \$237.50
Los Angeles and Pasadena Electric Company..... 150.00
Gen. Sherman..... 50.00
Mrs. E. Packard, manager..... 50.00
Unity Sunday-school..... 12.50
The Times-Mirror Company..... 1000.00
Burbank Theater Benefit..... 216.70
John F. Franklin..... 50.00
Mrs. Emmeline Childs..... 100.00
A. M. Ozmun..... 100.00
Mary J. Rankin..... 25.00
T. D. Stinson..... 50.00
H. Newmark & Co..... 20.00
A. Friend..... 5.00
Mrs. J. Ross Clark..... 25.00
Grace M. E. Church, East First street, by W. A. Knighten..... 7.10
S. F. Mulford..... 25.00
F. A. Hutchinson..... 10.00
E. R. Threlkeld..... 10.00
Plaza Commercial Company, by C. E. Packard, manager..... 5.00
D. Sale..... 10.00
J. R. Newberry & Co..... 10.00
John D. Bicknell..... 10.00
N. B. Blackstone & Co..... 10.00
H. Jevne..... 10.00
J. M. Hale & Co..... 25.00
C. E. Packard, manager..... 20.00
Mrs. Clara R. Shatto..... 25.00
Mullen & Bluet..... 25.00
A. Hamburger & Sons..... 25.00
F. G. Hunt..... 1.00
The Boston Store..... 10.00
Mrs. F. M. De Pauw..... 10.00
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Pacific Crockery Company..... 5.00
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Harrison & Dickson..... 5.00
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Simpson-Hack Fruit Co..... 5.00
Newell Matthews..... 5.00
Newmark Bros..... 5.00
L. A. King & Co..... 10.00
Mrs. George R. Crow..... 10.00
J. J. O'Brien & Co..... 10.00
The Los Angeles Electric Light Company..... 25.00
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Kass, Baruch & Co..... 25.00
Harris & Frank..... 25.00
Simon Maier..... 25.00
Mrs. M. E. Alexander..... 10.00
Title Insurance and Trust Co..... 40.00
B. F. Day..... 5.00
H. E. Wiley..... 5.00
C. F. A. Last..... 20.00
Citizens Savings Bank..... 20.00
Charles Schickel..... 10.00
Herman W. Hallman..... 10.00
B. F. Coulter..... 25.00
Farmers and Merchants' Bank..... 25.00
Western Cement Company..... 5.00
Max Meyberg..... 1.00
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J. W. Davies..... 25.00
Woodbury Business College..... 5.00
J. B. Leukersheim..... 100.00
Prof. Fosha..... 5.00
August Boecklin..... 5.00
Harper & Reynolds..... 25.00
O. F. Johnson..... 50.00
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William Ferguson..... 10.00
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Monsieur Nugent Lecture..... 35.50
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W. C. Patterson..... 10.00
George P. McLain..... 5.00
Cash..... 1.00
Newmark & Edwards..... 1.00
Mrs. Z. D. Mathus..... 10.00
Burdette Lecture..... 25.67
Dr. F. A. Seymour..... 5.00
Joseph P. Loeb..... 5.00
Edwin J. Loeb..... 5.00
Mrs. R. J. Waters..... 10.00
Paul and Theodore Hammon..... 1.00
J. C. Kays..... 5.00
Jacobus Bros..... 10.00
Dr. Wm. LeMoine Willis..... 10.00
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Broadway Bank..... 10.00
Col. R. W. Baker..... 10.00
Employers' Counting Office..... 7.00
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A Fire with Trimmings. A fire, a runaway and a burglary combined to make things interesting yesterday afternoon at the corner of Seventeenth and Hill streets. Some rubbish back of a stove in the dwelling of J. C. Cline caught fire. The fire department was on the scene in a very short time and quickly extinguished the fire. Meanwhile a new team of engine horses, unused to such exciting events, took fright and ran away. In the general excitement a burglar seized the favorable opportunity to enter the house and steal a pocket-book containing \$100 in money.

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Three cars of the Pasadena and Pacific Electric Railroad yesterday afternoon carried representative loads of passengers from Los Angeles to Santa Monica and back, and the occasion marked the formal opening of a line that has been built so unostentatiously, that comparatively few people are prepared to believe that it is really completed. By invitation, a number of county and city officials, newspaper men and visiting strangers, occupied the three new cars that had been prepared for this inaugural trip, and at the starting point, the office of the company on Fourth street, a large number of people congregated at 1 p. m. to see the start.

Shortly after the announced hour for starting, car No. 65 and 66 departed, occupied by the invited officials, and citizens, the third car, No. 68, being detained for the arrival of the Minneapolis visitors, who came in from the north. The Minnesota visitors finally arrived, escorted by the local committee that had met the strangers at the railway station, and at 1:37 p. m. the third car departed, its crowded condition and its decorations of callas and pepper brought attracting much attention during its transit of Spring street. Many streets to Bellevue avenue, where the company's line proper begins.

It was a good-natured lot of passengers in each of the cars, those of No. 69 being especially jolly, they frequently emitting much gusto the Minneapolis yell. President Sherman and General Manager Clark remained close to the conductors, their idea of true hospitality prompting them to pay most of their agreeable attention to the visitors from abroad.

Owing to the fact that the line is so new, and its overhead construction is not yet complete—the feed wires not yet being strung with the current of electricity—was not as strong as it should be to insure rapid transit. The reason being so apparent the passengers good-naturedly forgave the slow speed of ascending grades, pleased as they were with the scenery along the route. When the last of the three cars had, after traversing the interesting route on Bellevue avenue, and its continuation, reached Burbank Junction, which it did at 2:30, the preceding two cars were discovered waiting for the belated one, the latter, which commands an incomparable view of the Cahuenga Valley, most of the passengers disembarked and a photograph of the party was made without causing much pain.

After this diversion, the excursion resumed its way, which from this point onward is over an entirely new right-of-way, the foothills of the San Gabriel mountains on the right side, the waving fields of grain on the left. Prospect Park was next passed, and then the party, which was now seated in Senator Cole, where flags were displayed in honor of the occasion, the compliment being acknowledged by the passengers with cheers and applause. A little beyond, a Colosseum, a Colosseum, with a party of watching and waiting citizens, was passed, with noisy acknowledgment.

From this point onward the cars run on a tangent between rows of stately eucalyptus trees, which yield a grateful shade for summer travelers. At a point about half-way between Los Angeles and Santa Monica, that is, about nine miles from the city, a power-house is being built, and though the structure is yet far from complete, the 1000 horse-power engine and a fine, powerful generator were working away noiselessly, producing the "juice" for running the cars. At this point, which has been named Sherman, in honor of the company's president, there is now a large grading camp, forming a veritable little city of tents in the midst of extensive grain fields. Shops of the company will be located here, and they may form the nucleus of a coming town, which shall immortalize the ruling spirit of the enterprise.

Upon arriving at Soldiers' Home Station, a little beyond, a large number of grizzled veterans of the war were discovered in waiting. The passengers greeted the soldiers most familiarly, by singing "Marching Through Georgia," in which the reference to Sherman's march to the sea was taken as a personal reference to the jolly president of the road, who fitted every where to make the guests feel at home. The photographer again trained his camera on the party, and after much good-natured chaffing, the company was carried onward. Superintendent W. D. Laramie, as well as other officials of the road, visited first one car and then another, contributing to the pleasure and enlightenment of the company's guests, who all seemed to appreciate the beauty of the scenery, and the delightful "juice" of the "juice," which was perfect, the ocean breeze being more perceptible and refreshing as the distance lessened between the moving party and the sea. Thus, after a most pleasant trip, Santa Monica was finally entered, though a little behind schedule time.

AT SANTA MONICA. Santa Monica people had been busy all morning getting ready for the visitors. Printed circulars were distributed about town Tuesday afternoon announcing that the first regular car on the new line would arrive yesterday afternoon, and suggesting that a suitable demonstration, floral and otherwise, be made. The fire engine-house was cleared early in the morning and made ready to receive the floral contributions, which, together with palms and other green decorations, were brought in great quantities from lawn and garden of many a private residence. The arrangement of the floral pieces from the material brought was under supervision of H. Rowland Lee, the details being worked out by Mrs. J. J. Carrillo (wife of the Mayor), Mrs. E. J. Vawter, Mrs. M. H. Kimball, Mrs. McMahon, Mrs. Keating, Mrs. J. J. Davis, Mrs. T. P. Bunnell, Mrs. Kea Summerfield, Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. Stevens, Miss Lizzie Carrillo, Mrs. M. D. Feather, Miss Lizzie Carrillo, Miss Atala Carrillo, Miss Bertha Jackson, Miss Deming, Miss Hite and Miss Laura Biderman.

The floral pieces included three dozen fan palms, each bedecked with a choice bouquet, a large number of floral wreaths, and bunches of callas and gerberas. The front of the engine-house was decorated with banana plants, which must have been a curiosity to the Minneapolis visitors. On one side of the entrance was a tall plant bearing a huge bud, just above which were to be seen two or three partially-developed hands of bananas. On the other side of the doorway was a plant also of large proportions, bearing a bunch of bananas in a more advanced stage of growth. The banana plants were donated by Daniel McCarthy.

In anticipation of the arrival of the

visitors the public school was closed during the afternoon. Hundreds of people began to gather on Oregon avenue, in the neighborhood of the engine-house soon after 1 o'clock, and by the time the three electric cars arrived, there must have been fifteen hundred or more. Guns were fired at intervals, and the Santa Monica Band discoursed music. As the cars came to a stop a score of pretty girls, including Mayor Carrillo's daughters, bearing wreaths and decorated palms, marched out to the cars, and as soon as President Sherman was seen, turned over their floral weapons on him. It was a battle of flowers, but it was all one-sided, and he had to capitulate, but not till he was enveloped in a mass of the decorations. Mayor Pratt of Minneapolis was next singled out as an object of attack, and he was quickly collared with wreaths. Other officials met a like fate, and the fun became fast, but not furious. After a few minutes of handshaking and jocular salutations, the guests were come into the upstairs in the Town Hall, where a little spread, which had been prepared by merchants of the town, was in readiness. Sandwiches were washed down with liquid refreshments with gusto, and A. Mooser's voice was heard calling on Mayor Carrillo for a speech. The latter responded with informal remarks of welcome, and was followed by Mayor Rader of Los Angeles, who humorously spoke of the new road as "Sherman's march to the sea." He started to say something about bringing the Minneapolis visitors to Santa Monica to keep them out of the Los Angeles jail, when somebody in the Minneapolis contingent commenced singing "He's a liar, he's a liar just now," to the tune of a familiar gospel song, and the Mayor closed his remarks.

Mayor Pratt of Minneapolis was next called, and he attempted to reply to Mayor Rader's facetiousness when to the same tune the Minneapolis men sang, "He's another, he's another, he's another just now," and drowned out their Mayor's voice. In conclusion Mayor Pratt spoke feelingly of the profusion of flowers such as Minneapolis people see only in June. President Sherman made some appropriate remarks and A. Mooser followed with a little speech.

John W. Mitchell, Esq., said some complimentary things about the new road, but apparently forgetting that the Minneapolis people could not be expected to be interested in the subject, proceeded to argue about the alleged benefits to be had by making harbor improvements at Santa Monica, the argument being pressed under the pretense that it would be incidentally a benefit to the Cahuenga Valley.

When the visitors found themselves out-of-doors again they saw the cars almost covered with floral decorations, which had been put in place while the speechmaking was going on. The cars were turned over to children for a little trip while the visitors were conducted to the seashore. City Engineer Cappeletti of Minneapolis, while in the center of a complimentary address to the women of Santa Monica both for their good looks and the beauty of their works.

It was 5 p. m. when the three cars at intervals departed, amidst cheering and shouting and spirited waving of handkerchiefs, on their homeward trip.

THE MINNEAPOLIS PARTY.

Arrival of the Visitors from Minnesota. In accordance with expectation, the Mayor, Sherman and other city officials of Minneapolis arrived at 1:30 p. m. yesterday, in their special car from San Francisco. They were met at the Station by the Reception Committee, composed of K. P. Cullen, Dr. D. W. Edwards, D. D. Whitney, George Reis, Dr. Dodge and others, and a large number of former residents of Minneapolis met the train at the Arcade Depot. A formal greeting was extended to the visitors, and a large number of Californians, the party responded with the "yell," devised on the way out, which was made at Riverside and Redlands. Friday evening a formal reception will be tendered to the city's guests at the Chamber of Commerce, the party being consumed in a trip to Mt. Lowe and over the mountain division of the electric road, which is regarded as one of the wonders of California. Saturday morning all will be driven in carriages over the city, time being allowed for viewing the parks and most notable of the residence streets. Citizens having carriages are invited to loan them for the occasion, plotting the visitors over the city. Such as may be disposed to render this service to the committee will leave word with E. P. Cullen at rooms 213 and 214, Nolan & Smith block, No. 232 West Second street.

The party includes: Robert Pratt, Mayor; Charles F. Haney, City Clerk; Perry A. Long, Burke F. O'Brien, George A. Duran, Hugh Jennings, E. B. Lovy, Samuel E. Adams, Andrew Anderson, Eric Rhode, Fred A. Schwartz, P. W. McAllister, J. W. Phillips, Francis G. Drew, Charles E. Dickson and G. L. Fort, Aldermen; F. W. Cappelen, City Engineer; Frank L. Stetson, chief engineer of the fire department; Dr. H. N. Avery, Commissioner of Health; L. A. Dunn, Assistant City Attorney; Frank T. Moody, registrar of water works; A. G. Mosher, sealer of weights and measures; F. H. Hayward, sergeant-at-arms; L. J. Houghton, the Tribune; Adolph Edsten, the Journal; H. A. Luxton, the Penny Press; Dr. A. H. Hodderly and John Dorner, caterer.

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IN SOCIAL SPHERES.

Mrs. W. C. Patterson received yesterday afternoon, at her cozy home on South Hope street, in honor of Mrs. Carlisle Barrere of Columbus, Ohio, and Mrs. R. K. Campbell of South Salem, O. The affair was entirely informal and very delightful. Mrs. Patterson was assisted by Misses, S. S. Salisbury, Danekin, Cadwallader, Callender, J. H. Braly and W. B. Matthews. The Misses Helen Salisbury and Jean Barrere presided at the door, and the punch-bowl in the hall, and the Misses Mary Barrere and Hazel Patterson assisted in the dining room. The room was prettily decorated with roses, carnations and potted ferns. Mrs. Patterson wore a handsome gown of black brocade satin, with garniture of spangled net. Mrs. Barrere wore black silk, the neck cut square, and garniture of dull jet and diamonds. Mrs. Campbell's gown was of black silk, with a front of white net. Among those present were: Misses, Norman, W. A. Snedeker, E. L. Clegg, C. C. Parker, J. M. Clute, Z. D. Mathews, J. J. Akin, M. P. Martin, W. J. Chalmers, J. R. Haynes, H. L. Hyatt, M. C. Graham, G. N. Spencer, J. M. Elliott, J. D. Bicknell, M. L. McCormack, F. W. King, T. E. Gibson, C. F. Riddle, J. M. Kempton, Frank Rader, Fanny Stoeckner, Wilbur Parker, S. M. McCallum, C. E. Anthony, John Hancock, H. R. Harris, J. E. Con. F. Harris, H. M. Sale, R. T. Bullard, M. D. J. L. Chapman, Hector Mackenzie, J. S. Toppin, H. P. Anderson, J. W. Hendrick, J. D. Mercereau, C. N. Flint, G. L. Cole, J. Doyle, T. B. Clark, Frank Wiggins, T. D. Stimson, J. H. F. Peck, E. W. Peck, Chestnut, M. W. Stimson, Walter Lindley, L. A. Stedman, W. W. Cocks, A. S. Gibson, D. H. Burks, R. B. Ashley, S. C. Hubbell, G. A. Davidson, G. E. Pratt, C. W. Gates, J. McK. White, the Misses Cochins, L. C. Norman, Norman, Keyser, Nora Hull, Clegg, Margaret Ervin, Mercereau, Lindley, Bloomfield, Haynes, Clute, Dunn, Collier and Olave B. Clark.

A CARD PARTY.

The progressive euchre party given last evening by Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Stowell, at their home on Grand avenue, for a number of their young friends, was an extremely pleasant affair. The party was in honor of Miss Olga Marx, who was the guest of Mrs. Stowell for a few days. The rooms were prettily decorated with pink roses overflowing large bowls, and sprays of Lady Banksian roses wreathed in the hall work above the doors. The prizes were exceedingly pretty. The ladies' first was a Japanese jar, and the second, an exquisitely decorated china plate, the hostess's handiwork. The gentlemen's first, a china match-safe, was also decorated by her; the second was a silver knife. The tables were set with green water color paper, made in the form of fools' caps, and decorated with bright-colored ribbons and bells. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jevne, Mr. and Mrs. Nat Wilschke, the Misses Wellborn, the Misses Fairchild, the Misses Rose, the Misses S. Goodrich, Alby Easton, George S. Goodrich, the Smiths, Marix, Jessie Kimball, Hadley, Mrs. Rivers, Messrs. Dickinson, Sale, Dick, Negus, Hunt, Spence, Garland, Flint, Howard, Rader, Davenport, C. Green, Taylor, E. Knepper, Keyes, Krug, Young, Burks, Brown, Jones, Eggleston, Ralph Carhart, Chichester, Groat, M. Stimson, C. de F. Howry, Janes, Newlin, F. Stilson, Hambricht, Tufts, Harris, Shoemaker, Burgoyne, Seyler, Carr, Baldwin, Clara Wed Field, Edwards, McCrea and Duffell.

THE JOLLY DANCERS.

The High School Jolly Dancers gave a matinee dance yesterday afternoon at Turnverein Hall, the young ladies being the hostesses. A number of surprises appropriate to the day, were prepared for the young men, and caused much amusement. The patronesses were: Misses J. T. Fitzgerald, D. H. Burks, Dryden, the Misses Janss, Moore, Carhart, McLeellan, Burks, Kemper, Godfrey, May Kimball, Edith Purvey, Hall, the Misses Dryden, the Misses Deming, the Misses Campbell, Alice Groat, Walton, Davenport, McCrea, Sinsabaugh, Farnsworth, Longley, Gordon, Clara Mercereau, Shinn, Isabel Godin, Grace Alexander, Roundtree, Keyes, Allen, Klinger, the Misses Barber, the Misses Ellean, Loring, Lebus, Tyler, Stanton, Julia Winston, Livingston, Ferguson, Page, Bobyshehl, Green, Merrill, Messrs. E. Jevne, C. Green, Taylor, E. Knepper, Keyes, Krug, Young, Burks, Brown, Jones, Eggleston, Ralph Carhart, Chichester, Groat, M. Stimson, C. de F. Howry, Janes, Newlin, F. Stilson, Hambricht, Tufts, Harris, Shoemaker, Burgoyne, Seyler, Carr, Baldwin, Clara Wed Field, Edwards, McCrea and Duffell.

KINDERGARTEN CLUB.

There was a large attendance at the meeting of the Kindergarten Club yesterday afternoon, at Caledonia Hall. The meeting was opened with a short business session, at which there was considered an amendment to the by-laws, in regard to the annual meeting. Miss Addie L. Murphy of the Cumstock School of Oratory, then gave an exceedingly interesting talk, taking as her subject, "Expression Through Physical Culture." She said that the body expressed the spiritual, physical and mental state of the individual, and illustrated her points by various attitudes. The position of the body, she claimed, reacts upon the mind, and much consideration should be given to the correct posing of the body. At the close of the address, there were many questions asked and answered.

AN INFORMAL DANCE.

Another of the series of informal dances which have been given by a number of society people, at Turnverein Hall, this season, was held Tuesday evening. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Al Barker, Mr. and Mrs. Widney, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Stimson, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Stimson, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Howell, Mr. and Mrs. Nat Wilschke, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wightman, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Busch, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Earl, Mr. and Mrs. Holterhoff, Mr. and Mrs. Hollday, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Fleming, Mrs. Lyons, the Misses Wellborn, the Misses Fairchild, the Misses Johnson, the Misses Deming, Luce, Owen, Marx, Newell, Chalmers, Daniels, Messrs. Barnwell, Dick, Garland, Joe Bumiller, Art Bumiller, Ingie, Allen, Farwell, Currier, Austin, Williams, Joyce, Spruance, Flint, Ferrer, Chalmers and the Messrs. Henderson.

MACCABEE ENTERTAINMENT.

Maccabee Hall, No. 245 South Spring street, was crowded last evening, at the entertainment given by Los Angeles Hive No. 1, Ladies of the Maccabees. An enjoyable programme was given, consisting of selections by the Maccabee Orchestra, a reading by Mrs. P. L. C. Holly, a whistling solo by Miss Maud Gage, a song by Mrs. J. B. Brown, a recitation by Mrs. E. R. Longley, a song by Mrs. J. B. Brown, a recitation by Miss George Davis, and the feature of the evening, a mock imitation, Mrs. E. P. Rowley, "Mockingbird High Jinks," presided at the initiation, at which the victim was Mrs. Boyer, clad all in scarlet robes, and blindfolded with a bandanna kerchief. She was escorted in by Mrs. Mullen and Mrs. Schultz, and a guard of twelve, who made a ghostly appearance in sheets and white masks. They carried large bamboo rods, tipped with a bunch of flowers, and upon their entrance went through the figures of a fancy drill and march. They were: Mrs. Mullen, Jennie Kaye, Jennie Fay, Percy, Eva Wellborn, E. Carberry, S. J. Jacobson,

J. Burns, Frances Hammond, Latenser, Williams and Miss Alice Swartz. The programme, which was followed by dancing, was presided over by Lady Commander Mrs. May Anthony. The Reception Committee consisted of Misses, Brainerd Smith, Holly and Dennis. The Music Committee included: Misses, Walker, Fay and M. B. Smith. The floor was managed by Mrs. Merry.

FORESTERS' BALL.

Court Olive, No. 33, Foresters of America, held an April-fool and leap-year ball last evening, at Turnverein Hall. There was a large attendance. The music was furnished by the Schoneman-Blanchard Orchestra. The Executive Committee included: C. C. Hartnack, W. E. King, F. W. Patterson, W. F. Broser, and Gus Odemar, chairman. The Reception Committee consisted of Mrs. F. W. Patterson, Mrs. F. Mason and Miss A. Odemar. The floor was managed by F. W. Patterson, assisted by Fred Jacobs, J. A. Rudy, Gus Odemar, P. C. Quinn and W. F. Broser.

NEEDLEWORK GUILD.

The Los Angeles branch of the Needlework Guild of America, which was organized last fall by a number of the representative women of the city, to furnish new, plain and suitable garments to meet the great need of the hospitals, homes and other charities in the city, will have its first distribution May 1. The work has been going on quietly but effectively; fourteen sections have been started, each of which is pledged to 110 garments in the year. Distribution blanks have been sent out to the institutions, that the wants of each may be known. The president of the branch is Mrs. B. H. Herron, the secretary, Mrs. T. A. Eisen, and the treasurer, Mrs. Mary B. McMillan. The section presidents are: Misses, Frank Rader, S. S. Salisbury, M. E. Hartwell, F. G. Teed, F. H. Agnew, M. B. McMillan, R. H. Herron, T. A. Eisen, E. H. Moore, E. Burke, G. Goucher, Elliott and Miss May Stewart.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

President A. Robinson of the Mexican Central, will leave this morning for Boston. Mrs. Robinson will remain in the city a few days, and then return to Catalina.

The German Ladies' Benevolent Society, which resulted in the net sum of \$320.80, No. 107 got the tea set and No. 81, the water set.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Harry C. Bowers of the firm of U. R. Bowers & Sons, to Mattie Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Davis of No. 1955 Estrella avenue, on April 15.

RENA ATKINSON.

The charming prima donna of the Carleton Opera Company.

More than ordinary interest attaches to the appearance in this city of Rena Atkinson, the leading lady of the Carleton Opera Company. She was born in Portland, Or., and her mother was one of the brave little band of New England women who made that world-renowned trip from New York city around the Horn a short time after the close of the civil war.

About 1861 A. S. Mercer went to Portland from college in the East. He immediately took an interest in politics and was sent to the Legislature. He was a keen observer, energetic and progressive. It was apparent to him that the country needed immigrants. He agitated the matter, and without going into details, he went East armed with letters from all the prominent people of the then scarcely settled section. When he reached Washington city the government was disposing of vessels accumulated during the war. He conceived the idea of getting one of these to bring many of his relatives and personal friends to the Pacific Coast, and stated his plans to the government authorities. The result of the matter was that the swift-sailing Continental was sold to him for a very low figure. Mercer went to New York city, and after his plans became known, letters commenced piling in on him from all parts of New England. Families, men and women, were ready to go to the new land, and it looked as if the expedition would be a grand success. Mercer in the mean time had negotiated with Ben Holladay, the famous pioneer stage-driver and railroad man, to man the ship and bring the party to the Pacific Coast; the agreement being that in return Holladay was to have the ship.

Among the women who came to the Sound on that trip were two young ladies named Anna and Mamie Stephens. They were both possessed of good musical educations. Mamie had a sweet contralto voice and her sister Anna was a fine pianist and most excellent teacher. Anna subsequently married A. S. Mercer. They now live at Cheyenne, and Mr. Mercer is the publisher of one of the leading newspapers there. Mamie, the mother of the subject of this sketch, went to Portland, where she married J. F. Atkinson, a printer and journalist.

About 1872 Rena Atkinson, the young woman who is now the prima donna of the Carleton Opera Company, was born. As a mere child she displayed natural musical ability and her parents did everything in their power to encourage her. Finding the opportunities for study limited in Portland, the Atkinson family removed to Denver, and while attending the Lore Academy, Miss Rena and her sister Anna L. Atkinson, were soon ingratiated into the special favor of the Mother Superior and the Sisters, for their vocal and dramatic attainments.

At the age of 14 Miss Rena sang the offertory at the Eastern cathedral high mass at the Denver Cathedral. As a mark of approbation, the late Bishop Machefault bestowed on her a gold medal, blessed for him by Pope Pius IX., besides giving her other articles of intrinsic value.

In the latter part of 1881 she was placed in a New York musical college. After a year and a few months' study, out of over three hundred pupils—musical aspirants—representing every State in the Union—she was one of the eight most efficient scholars chosen to contest for college honors. Though the young ladies were young and pretty, she carried off the Agramonte Parisian gold medal. She then entered the New York School of Opera and Oratory, graduating therefrom after a close study of two years, receiving a gold medal for excellence in operatic work. In connection with her studies she frequently appeared in leading roles of grand opera, for which she invariably was accorded the most pronounced ovation from the most refined and intelligent of New York audiences.

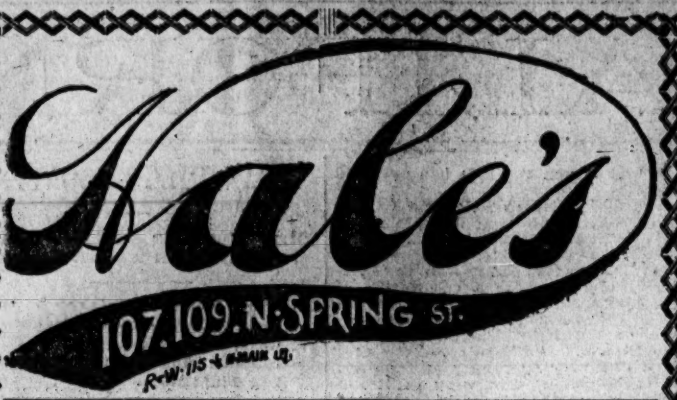
This is Miss Atkinson's second year under Mr. Carleton's management, and her success for so young an artist bids fair to place her on the very highest pinnacle of the lyric stage—of a most amiable and modest nature, Rena Atkinson is an example to be emulated by all aspiring artists.

Tore His Ear.

George Wise was yesterday afternoon driving a team of horses, attached to an express wagon, when the horses took fright and ran away. Wise was picked up with a strained back, and a badly torn ear. He was taken to the Police Station, and there Police Surgeon Bryant sewed on his ear, and dressed his wounds. The team was taken to a Washington-street barn, to await its unfortunate owner's pleasure.

Stole a Bicycle.

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